# BRYAN GOING WEST.

WHOLE NUMBER, 14,028.

He Makes a Few Remarks at East St. Louis and Mests Bland.

CANDIDATO RIAL AMENITIES.

The Older Advocate of Free Silver.

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 16,-William

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horsing reception was given Mr. here by a crowd of more than sand people, who were assembled the rairroad station. Covernor Mayor Silver, c.-Congressman of O'Neill, and other prominent men in Bryan and Mr. Bland at the where the crowd had galbered, yan was greeted with loud cheers. Presented to the audience by Mr. and Governor Stone as the next of the United States, and Mr. asain took occasion to express his ction at the choice of the Chicago

the next mistress of the White House, and the Eryan party then withdrew to the train, which left Jefferson City at 1:15 P. M.

EFFERSON, BLAND, STONE, SILVER JEFFERSON, BLAND, STONE, SILVER
In his speech here, Mr. Bryan said:
'Ladies and Gentlemen.—I have just been
thinking where could I find in all the
country a combination of circemstances
which would make a speech so pleasent
as in a city n.med after the greatest
Democrat that ever lived, in the congressional district of one of the greatest
leaders the Democratic party has ever
known—Richard P. Bland (cheers)—and
presided over by one of the greatest
ighters—Governor Stone—and to leave
nothing undone, they have just elected, as
Mayor of the town a man named Silver,
(Laughter and cheers.) Thomas Jefferson,
place Bland, Bill Stone, and Mayor Silver,
I'm at home here."

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KANSAS CITY, July 16.—After a long journey through Illinois and Missouri William J. Bryan reached Kansas City and his party off. Somebody of Mr. Bryan with a basket of and on these and some sandhe and his family made a light in made and the family made a light in was an ordinary accommodation of the content of the coates House, where they had dinner. At 9 o'clock Mr. Bryan appeared when the train arrived here. The party went to the Coates House, where they had dinner. At 9 o'clock Mr. Bryan affect the multitude assembled outside. The cheering when he appeared was vigorous and long-continued. When quiet had been restored Mr. Bryan spoke. The multitude is front of the Coates House crowded the sidewalk and overflowed into the side streets. Their number cannot be given with any accuracy, but there were many thousands. It was the most enthusiastic and hest-attended meeting addressed by Mr. Bryan since his nomination, and he went farther into political discussion than he had done in provious speeches, He said, in part:

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TY, MO, July 16.—Mr. at 1236 P. M. Just as kind to the station of the station of the station of the station of the interesting incident et. Richard P. Bland rain in the Union stander in a forward car stated. He entered the hole by where directly and the stretched out his coldent and there was the goldent and there was the gold standard is the standard of civilization. That is their argument. If they tell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that, let me suggest an answer that is complete. If they bell you that they had they bell they bell they bell they bell they bel

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Mr. Bryan, in closing, referred to his companion on the national ticket, saying: "There are sections in this country where it has required more heroism to stand out for the rights of the masses of the people than in the West; and I ask you not to forget that brave man who stands upon the ticket with me, and who, away on near the Atlantic shore, has been fighting the battles of the common people as courageously as Bland has fought them in Missouri. Great applause.)

When Mr. Bryan had finished he retired to the lobby of the hotel, where a public reception was held, lasting until late in the evening, thousands of people passing before the presidential candidate.

# THE CITIES BY THE SEA.

Death of a Portsmouth Lady-Nor-

folk County Trucker Dead.

NORFOLK, VA. July 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Mary Walsh, wife of Michael Walsh, and mother of the Rev. Father Edward Walsh, of Manassas, and Bartlett Walsh, of Richmond, died this morning at her residence, in Portsmouth, after a brief illness. Mrs. Walsh was a native of Galway, Ireland. She came to Portsmouth when a young woman, and had resided here for 40 years, leading a usefu, and active life. Bartlett Walsh, who had been apprised of his mother's illness, arrived here yesterday, from Richmond, and was at here bedside at the time of her death. This morning he received a telegram from Richmond, telling him of the sudden death of his wife, and left immediately for that city.

Mr. James C. Taylor, of Norfolk, county, died at 11 o'clock this morning at his home, hear Gettys Station, Mr. Taylor came here soon after the war, bought land near Gettys Station, built a house, and became a truck-grower. He prospered, and at the time of his death was not only one of the largest land-owners in the county, but it is said, owned considerable real estate in Philadelphia. Mr. Taylor married Miss Eya Woodward, of this city, who, with a daughter, survives him. folk County Trucker Dead.

THE NAME IS BRYAN.

His Father, Grandfather, and Great-Grandfather All Spelt the Family
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Referring to Mr. Bryan, Bryan and Bryan is needed to compare the silver leader was needed to compare the silver leader was needed to compare the silver a place with gold," said Mr. Bryan, "it may be his hoor to introduce a bill which will place gold and silver on the same footing at the legal ratio of 16 to 1.

"If I can't say anything about the ticket nominated at Chicago, I can say that the platform breathes the spirit of the Delaration of Independence."

He eulogized Mr. Sewall, and said he was sorry he was not on the train.

ADDRESS FROM BRYAN. o'Bryan, and was changed by his the time he began to practice law, in Lincoln, Neb. 'This statement is wholly without foundation. William Bryan, the without foundation. William Bryan, the Grand Lodge that Raieigh should be headwithout foundation. William Bryan, the great-grandfather of the nominee, came to this county in 1752, from the lower

His name in the deeds for these lands known as the Bryan meeting-house, is still standing. John Bryan, the son of William Bryan, and grandfather of the candidate, spelled his name Bryan, also; and the candidate's father, Silas Lillard Bryan, did the same.

John Bryan, the grandfather of the

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 18.—(Special.)—Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia, who is the chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, left for his home to-day, after making partial preparations for the work of the coming campaign. He is in hearty accord with the action of the Chicago convention, and thinks the nominees are the best that could have been chosen. to the Democracy. Speaking of the situ-ation there, he said: "I believe that the sentiment throughout the State is overwhelmingly in favor of free silver. In my own county I know personally of a great many Republican votes that command for the free and unlimited coinage or siver. The Fourth District, formerly represented by Mr. Capehart, is aimost usly for silver. That district h ordered on the west by the Onio river, largely agricultural, and the silver ntiment is very strong there. In the Third District there is also a preponder Third District there is also a preponder; ance of opinion in favor of silver colarge, and the district formerly represented by Postmaster-General Wilson is similar in sentiment. The First District will also probably give a majority for silver."

The West Virginia State Convention will be held August 12th, at Charleston, and a State State State of the silver basis

and a State ticket on a silver basis throughout will be nominated. All of the aspirants for nomination before this convention have already declared themselves for free silver, and all the candidates for congressional nominations on the Democratic ticket will be silver men. The white metal has a strong hold on West Virginia, and it is confidently believed that the State will go Democratic in November next.

"FREE COINAGE." Director R. E. Preston, of the Mint, has, in response to numerous inquiries, explained what "free coinage" means, as explained what "free coinage" means, as applied to silver, and in doing so has given information that was sadly needed by the average voter. He says that any one who has silverware of any sort can have it coined into dollars at the United States Mint, regardless of the value of bullion. The value of silver to-day in the markets of the world is about thirty pounds of silver to one of to-day in the markets of the world is about thirty pounds of silver to one of gold. At the rath of 16 to 1, our dollars would be worth 53 cents, which in this country would circulate for their face value, but which would only be accepted at their bullion value abroad.

The meaning of 16 to 1 is that the pure silver in the standard dollar is about in weight sixteen times that of the pure gold dollar. The silver dollar contains 371-25 grains of silver, while the gold dollar contains 22.22 grains of gold.

lar contains 23.22 grains of gold. Regarding the consequences of a free-coinage law. Director Presion makes the following very important announcement:
"Unless Congress emacts some special
provision preventing it, the nations of
the world, in case a free-coinage law is the world, in case a free-coinage law is placed on the statute-books, can ship all their builton to the United States for coinage. Here it will receive the government stamp, and will be used to buy American goods for shipment abroad. The result will be that foreigners will get all Americans will have to pay the full rate for them. There is this danger of our trade being injured. At present silver is admitted free of duty in the United States. Treasury officials say that un-States. Treasury officials say that un-less Congress placed a high tariff on the white metal, so as to prohibit its impor-tation, the nations of the world would make the United States the dumpingsround for their sliver, retaining only sufficient quantity of the metal in the circulation to act as subsidiary coin."

PERSONAL POINTS. Mr. and Mrs. Benoni Wheat will leave to-morrow for a stay of several weeks at Virginia Beach.
Mr. Grayson Burruss, of Richmond,
who has comfortably located his family

who has comfortably located his family at Berkley Springs for the summer, was in the city to-day, and visited Alexandria on business.

Professor Conrad, formerly of Blacks-

Professor Conrad, formerly of Biacks-burg College, who resides here, regards the Chicago ticket as a very strong one. He knows Candidate Bryan quite inti-mately, and has a very high opinion of him.

Colonel H. W. Fuller, general passen-

ger agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway, arrived here yesterday, looking well, and in the best of spirits. • Mr. Joseph Bryan, of Richmond, ar-

rived in the city last night, and to-day visited Alexandria on business.

Messrs. J. B. Underwood, of North Carolina; H. A. Long, of Lynchburg, Va., and J. T. West and wife, of Norfolk, Va., are at the Metropolitan.

Mr. C. G. Taylor, of Virginia, is at the Northead Denial of Portland, Oregon, Story to

the Contrary.

Nr. C. G. Inylot, of vicinia, is at the National.

Mr. F. A. Lewis and wife, and C. E. Young and W. H. Lewis are at the Howard House.

Mr. G. B. Priest, of Richmond, is at the

Raleigh. Mr. W. B. Rogers, of Norfolk, is at

THE OLD NORTH STATE. . News Glennings at Its Capital Political Points.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 16.-(Special.)-It is the desire and the hope of Democratic leaders in this State that Bryan shall make two speeches in North Caro-The office of the Grand Secretary of the

quarters.

A few days ago an estimate was made

part of the State, acquiring large tracts of land here, and becoming prominently identified with the county.

A few mays ago an estimated that there were only twenty-five Demo-crats in Raleigh who will not vote for Bryan. Bets are now offered that the number will not exceed ten. It is also number will not exceed ten. It is also r an is Bryan, and his last will and testament, which was admitted to record July 21.

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The news which comes which comes the country will vote for Bryan. The news which comes the country will vote for Bryan. The news which comes the country will vote for Bryan. The news which country will be not be no declared that 250 to 300 silver Republi-THE FRESHETS.

The reports show that most of the larger streams in this State were higher list week than gince the notable freshet of 1887. This was the case with Neuse river, the Tar, Ronnoke, Catawba, Yadkin, French Broad, Cape Fear, and Roadkin,

Quite a number of farmers who came here to-day said their crops were the best in ten or twelve years. At Concord this merning, in the Metho-dist church, four couples were united in marriage at the same time, and all went o Blowing Rock together on their bridal

Plans are being arranged for an en-ampment of the First and Third regi-nents here during the State Fair, in Oc-

tober.

The Bryan-Watson Club here, of which
B. C Beckwith is president, had a grand
rally at Metropolitan Hall this evening.
It was really the opening of the Democratic campaign, so far as Raleigh is
concerned.

a special addition to the State Museum to accommodate the 12,000 or 15,000 geo-logical specimens which Professor J. A. Holmes shear for some time had in storage. CROP REPORTS.

The State crop report for July was pre-pared to-day. It says the final figure on the wheat crop is \$1 per cent., as com-

way.

Various schemes have been worked to entrap the rodents, but with little success. Finally Engineer August Krone hit upon a scheme that for a time bade fair to be just the thing. He secured in old zinc oil-tank, about three feet in height, and then fastened on the edge a two-foot piece of board. Then he arranged the board so that it would swing up and down with one end inside the tank. He placed, a piece of bologna sausage fastened with a rubber band, on the edge of the board which projected over the insule of the tank, and half filled the vessel with water. A few pieces of cheese were placed along the other end of the board to coax the rats on.

The trap was set where rats are thekest, in the hasement, and in a few minutes a rat climbed upon the end of the board, which protruded outside the tank and reside upon a support. The rodent at the cheese, and then went for the bologna. As it reached the bait, the other end of the board tipped up, and the rat, with a squeak, fell into the water and was drowned.

"Oh, that's the trick," said the engineer, and his assistants said August had a great head.

Within ten minutes six more rats walk-Various schemes have been worked to

and his assistants and August had a greatwithin ten minutes six more rats waiked the plank, and then there was a remarkable display of rat's cuteness.
Two rodents climbed the pile of papers,
and while one stood on the safe end of
the board the other carefully made its
way to the tempting bologna and deyoured hair of it. The rats then changed
places, and the other ate the rest of the
bologna and half the rubber band.
The engineer scratched his head and
the other spectators said something about
people going to a lot of trouble for nothing.
During the afternoon no more rats were

During the afternoon no more rats were caught, but a lot of cheese was eaten by them. The engineer solemnly avers that he saw the rats not only balance one another on the board, while the tempting batt was devoured, but that the rodents actually engaged in a game of see-saw, simply for amusement. August still has faith in his patent rat trap, but nobody else has

# MANY MEN DROWNED.

Fourteen Bodies Taken from the Water-Accident Due to Panie.

CLEVELAND, O., July 16.—The most appalling disaster which has ever occurred appailing disaster which has ever occurred in Cleveland, except the viaduct horror last winter, when a loaded street-car plunged 100 feet into the river, occurred to-night at 8 o'clock. While a flat-bottom ferryboat, loaded with between forty and fifty laborers, was crossing the old river channel, it was capsized, and all the men thrown into the channel and between fifteen and twenty of them drowned. Fourteen bodies have been taken from the water up to 11 P. M.

The accident was due to a panic among the men on board. The boat was so loaded that the gunwale was only 3 inches above the water, and a passing tug made waves which came into the boat. At once there was a rush to the other side, and the boat went under and spilled the men. They were all members of a gang of org-handlers, and were coming to their homes.

Jelly slicers are obtainable in gold and Moustache-combs and brushes are mounted in Roman-colored gold.

New berry sets in cut-glass and gilded silver are not only timely, but attractive

Java lizard-skin bags and purses, with mountings in the new rose gilding, are at-tractive objects. The new sugar and cream holders in cut glass include several sizes and many and

varying shapes.
Silver candlesticks are more used than ever for table decoration, and their brightcolored shades are an important feature.

HANNA & COMPANY.

Preliminary Campaign Programme of the Republican National Committee.

ANTI - FREE - SILVER MEASURES.

They Are to Be Instituted at Once, and to Be Vigorous-The Tariff-Literary Bureau at Chicago-Ohio

CLEVELAND, O., July 16 .- Under very

much more pleasant meteorological cordi-

tions than those which prevailed yesterday, the members of the Executive Committee of the Republican National Committee reassembled in Mr. Hanna's office this morning shortly after 10 o'clock. A few matters of detail determined yeaterday have leaked out. The work at Chicago will be supervised by Mr. Heary C. Payne, of Wisconsin, assisted by Mr. Chester G. Dawes, of Illinois, who will

be western secretary. At New York, Secretary W. M. Osborne, of Massachusetts, will be in charge. It is understood that a vigorous campaign will be at once instituted, for the purpose of meeting and combating the free-silver sentiment let loose under the influence of the Chicago assumed, will go far towards setting the facts properly before the people, and that being done, members of the committee say confidence is feit that a majority of the voters will do as they have ever

say confidence is felt that a majority of the voters will do as they have ever done in the past—declare in favor of a sound financial system.

Then the remaining portions of the campaign may be devoted to the tariff and other general issues involved in the struggle. It is conceded by members of the committee that just now the sliver sentiment is so widespread that great necessity exists for humediate work to counteract it, and restrict its further growth. The details of the campaign work were settled at to-day's meeting, which, it is understood, will be the last of the present series.

Major McKinley could not arrange his affairs so as to come to Cleveland to-day, and the members of the Executive Committee left here at 3:15 o'clock to visit him at Canton. Thence they will separate, and go to their several homes. Among the matters settled to-day are those relating to the preparation and publication of campaign matter of various kinds; the selection of those to have charge or to be engaged in the work; the appointment of sub-committees on finance and public speaking, and the relations with subordinate and auxiliary organizations. No choice has yet been made of the ninth member of the Executive Committee, and it may not be announced until the Advisory Committee is named; and it may be that the place will not be filled at all.

NEW YORK COMPLICATION.

The State crop report for July was prepared to-day. It says the final figure on the wheat crop is \$1 per cent, as compared with the average; oats, \$2 per cent. The present condition of corn is \$9; cotton. \$20; tebacco. \$1; sweet potations, \$10; tries potatoes, \$5; peas, \$6; peanuts, \$6; rice, \$1. This report is based on returns from a thousand correspondents. Some returns were made before last week's rains and some since. The tobacco percentage seems low.

The Railway Commission increases the valuation of the Norfolk and Carolina railway from \$3,500 to \$1,000. The rolling stock on the \$22 miles of the Atlantic-Coast Line is assessed at \$55,000 an increase of \$10,000. Of the new railways, the Hendersonville and Erevard is assessed and \$2,500 per mile and the Caldwell and Northern at \$1,500.

The State Democratic Committee is to meet week after next.

WISE OFFICE RATS.

A Law of Physics Helps Them to Get Their Bait and Not He Caught. (Newark Daily Advertiser.)

The employees of the Jersey City Printing Company have for a long time been troubled by rats. The rodents are of unusual size and are extremely bold, They are boldest after dark, and think nothing, with the hope that they would exterminate the rats, but the latter made its worm for the cats that they were dayon a various schemes have been worked to cornel to the counties. Finally Engineer August Krone hit costs. NEW YORK COMPLICATION.

s now still, will consist of names seen members. The ligt of names selected is said to be: Senator Proctor, of Vermont.

Mr. Plunkett, of Massachusetts.
Cornelius N. Bilss, of New York.
Thomas Dolan, of Philadelphia.

M. Lang, of Florida.
General Alger, of Michigan.
Samuel Fullerion, of Chicago.
Governor Merriam, of Minnesota.
Senator Shoup, of Idaho.

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OHIO DISSENSION.
A special from Zanesville more than hints at a renewal of the Republican factional fight in Ohio this year. It says: "On Friday the Republican League clubs of Zamesville will banquet Governor Asa Bushnell, at which time Bushnell's boom for the United States senatorship will be formally launched. The Governor will be tonsted as Senator Sherman's successor. "Senator Sherman, it is known, has no intention of retiring, and he will, without doubt fight for a re-election. This will open up the old factional fight between the Sherman and Foraker forces in Ohio. In 1891-92, after a bitter struggle, Sherman defeated Foraker for the senator-ship, but in the campaign of 1885 Foraker routed the allied forces of McKinley and Sherman at the State Convention, nominated Bushnell for Governor, secured control of the State party machinery, and made Charles Kurtz national committeeman in place of William A. Hahn.

"If Bushnell goes into the senatorial fight, it cannot but make an opening for Hahn and Sherman to contest for the rocovery of supremacy in the State, which they lost at the Zanesville convention." OHIO DISSENSION.

#### VANDERBILT'S CASE CRITICAL. The Sick Man Fails to Obtain Needed Rest. NEW YORK, July 16.-Drs. Janeway,

NEW YORK, July 16.—Drs. Janewhy, Delaneld, McLane, and Draper, who were in almost constant attendance last night at the bedside of Cornelius Vanderbit, Sr., issued the following bulletin at 9:19 this morning: "Mr. Vanderbitt passed a restless night. His condition this morn-ing is less favorable than it had been vesterday."

restless night. His condition this morning is less favorable than it had been yesterday."

Among the callers at the Vanderhitt mansion this morning was ex-Secretary William C. Whitney. When he left the house he said that he had not seen the patient. He said that the rumbling noise caused by vehicles passing through Fifth avenue and Fifty-seventh street had greatly disturbed the patient during the early morning hours. During a storm in the night the tan bark which had been placed in the roadway around the house was washed away.

The doctors are still in attendance, and the servants in the house have been cautioned not to make the slightest noise. Mr. Vanderbilt's condition is said to be critical.

Dr. Janeway and W. D. Sloan left the Vanderbilt residences at 11:40 o'clock. Dr. Janeway says that Mr. Vanderbilt's condition was unchanged from what it had been this morning. A consultation of all the physicians will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon, when an official builetin will be issued. An official at the Grand Central Station is authority for the statement that Mr. Vanderbilt's condition is very serious, but that the crisis has not yet been reached.

Word was received from Chauncey M. Depew this morning that he would leave for New York on Saturday's steamer.

At 1:20 o'clock this afternoon Mr. Vanderbilt's condition was said to be extremely critical.

H. Walter Webb jieft the house at 2:20 o'clock. He had been there for some time. "Whatever change there may have been in Mr. Vanderbilt's condition since morning." he said. "has been for the better." "The according physicians are now in consultation.

consultation. Little Hope for the Colombia.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., July 16.—
There appears little hope of saving the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind-colle, and is the best from Pescadero says: The Colombia is rolling heavily on the rocks, thumping

herself to pieces. The sea is calm, but the swell is rising, there is about 18 feet of water in the hold, and the cap-tain and other officers of the steamer nave apparently given her up, and are WM. E. RUSSELL DEAD He Passes Away Suddenly at a Fishing preparing to leave when it is no longer safe to remain on board. The surf breaks close to the steamer, and if the sea gets rough she will last only a few hours. The underwriters have rated her a total loss. She was a new vessel, on her firs trip. Only a small portion of the cargo has been salvaged, and lighters are still at work removing the ship's fixtures and fittings.

### SEABOARD AIR-LINE CUTS.

Both Freight and Passenger Rates Slaughtered-Anti-Southern War.

ATLANTA, GA., July 16.-The Seaboard Air-Line announces cuts in both freight and passenger rates, beginning tomorrow. This is the beginning of what threatens to be a bitter rate-war, in which Southern and Western rates will be demoralized worse than they ever were before. The passenger rate is cut by given out that this is but a starter. Freights are cut fully 30 per cent, into

Atlanta from Baltimore. Commissioner Haines, of the Southern States Freight Association, would not authorize the association lines to-day to meet the cut. He was waiting to hear from Vice-President St. John, of the Sea-board. The Commissioner will make born in Cambridge, Mass, in 1857. He Inasmuch as he has called a meeting of the Executive Board for Tuesday next, at Atlanta, it is probable that he will direct the lines to maintain the standard tariff until the board acts,

The Seaboard's management states that the Southern railway has begun a policy intended to crush it, and it is forced to fight. If the war becomes general, it will be ruinous to some of the roads, but the Seaboard people say they can take care of themselves, and claim that they made more money during the war than at any other time.

#### TERRIBLE LIGHTNING STROKE. A Daughter of Senator Tillman's

and a Minister Killed.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 16.-Miss Addle Tillman, the eldest child of Senator Tillman, and her escort, the Rev. Ro-Lee, pastor of the Episcopal church at Yorkville, this State, were killed by the same bolt of lightning at Brevard, N. C., yesterday afternoon. They were in a horseback party, which had started off to ascend Rich mountain, six miles from Brevard. When nearly at the summit a thunder-storm overtook the party. All except Miss Tillman, Mr. Les, and a Mr. McNeely rode on to a house some distance ahead. These three stopped for Mr. McNeely to exchange horses with Miss Tillman, on account of hers Mr. Russell may evidence of his after as being afraid of the thunder. Rain came up, and they sought shelter under some bushes, near which was a large oak tree. The tree was struck by lightning, which and their horses. Mr. McNeely, though but a short distance away, was unburt.

Miss Tillman was 20 years of age, and would have made her debut in Washington society next winter. The news only reached here this morning, and no particulars were learned until to-night, when the young lady's body arrived from the mountain resort, where the casualty oc-

### MR. SEWALL AT HOME. Warm Welcome on His Retugn to

Bath, Me. Bath, Me.

The candidates or Vice-President on the Democratic ticket, Arthur Sewall, had his home-coming Wednesday night, and it was of the warmest sort. The welcome was entirely non-partisan. As the special train bearing Mr. Sewall reached Bath, Me. at 7:45 fireworks were profusely burned, the church and city bells rung, and a national salute fired by big guns. Thousands of persons were provided with horns, and the vocal welcome made a dingreater than was ever heard before. greater than was ever heard before Mr. Sewall was met at the depot

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Mr. Sewall was met at the depot platform by F. H. Twitchell, president of the City Council, Mayor Bibber having unexpectedly been called away. In responding to a short welcoming address, Mr. Sewall said;

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"It is not fitting, and you do not expect me at this time to make a long speech. We have had a convention, and it is of that I will speak to you. It was a great convention, yet it did not seem to me to be a partisan one; it seemel more like the uprising of the people, and they seemed to be controlled by one idea—an idea that has filled me for years.

"Those in attendance upon that convention knew that this country is in deep distress, that it has been in distress for years, and that great multitudes are suffering. I believe that the great trouble is with our monetary system, and they believe, as I believe, that there is but one remedy. The members of the convention entertain no dishonest or dishonorable ideas, but they demand that we be carried back to the money of our fathers, to that monetary system under which this government flourished for so many years."

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NORFOLK, VA., July 16.—(Special.)—
The committee of the Young Men's Christian Association now engaged in arranging for a debate on the money question have as yet been unable to secure a single representative citizen to defend the sound-money side of the question. Bank presidents and cashiers, lawyers and business-men who are known to be ardent advoçates of a goid standard, have been called upon and asked to participate in the debate, but they have invariably asked to be excused upon the ground that they are not sufficiently acquainted with the question to argue it.

The Mayor had the detectives appear before him to-day, and gave orders that pelicy-shops, gambling-dens, and the like, which have sprung up since July lat must be suppressed. The orders are imperative, and violators of the law, if caught, will be punished severely.

### Virginia Summer Resorts and Mountain Homes on the Line of the Nor-

stopover privileges at all stations. Special attention is called to the following summer resorts—viz., Hotel Roanoke, Maple-Shade Inn, Bedford Alum Springs. Mapic-Shaile Int. Beaton And Springs.
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giving, a complete list of the resorts and
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to any address on assolication. For to any address on application. tickets, time-tables, and full information, apply to the Richmond Transfer Com-pany, No. 903 east Main street; H. D. Owen, Ticket Agent, Byrd-Street Station, or at the company's office, No. 838 east or at the company's office, No. 838 of Main street. R. W. COURTNEY,

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SUCCESS IN POLITICS. chusetts-His Prominence at Chiengo as a Possible Nominee for the

Camp in Canada.

ST. ADELAIDE DE PAROS, QUEBEC, July 16.-Ex-Governor William E. Russell of Massachusetts, arrived here from Boston yesterday, and pitched his tent for a few days' fishing. He 'was accompanied by his brother and Francis Peabody. They all retired early last night, the Governor apparently in good health and spirits, Upon his companion's trying to arouse the Seaboard from \$24 to \$15 from At- him this morning, they discovered that lanta to New York, and it is quietly he was dead. Death must have resulted from heart-disease. The position of the man's face showed that his death was painless. After an inquest this afternoon the remains will be taken at once to his home, in Boston.

MR. RUSSELL'S CAREER.



was educated in the public schools and at Harvard College, where he graduated

Mr. Russell gave evidence of his gifts as a stump-speaker. He worked and talked incessantly, going about from one place to another. to another.

He was renomicated for Governor in 1830. This time his competitor was Governor Brackett. Mr. Russell, at the end of a vigorous campaign, reduced the plurality of his opponent from 23,600 to

THIRD CANDIDACY SUCCESSFUL. Next year, on his third trial, he was elected by a plurality of 2000.

In his inaugural message he suggested many reforms in State manage ment, but few of them became operative, owing to a hostile Legislature and a hostile Council. Russell was re-elected Governor of his State twice. He retired at the end of his third term to resume the practice of law.

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aduliters in New England as one which would look well at the head of the Democratic national ticket. At the Jefferson celebration at Monticello, Va., early in this year, the ex-Governor made a strong declaration for honest money. He was associated with Senator Hill and ex-Secretary Whitney in the contest over the platform at the recent Chicago convention.

Trilby Excursion

to Norfolk, Virginia Beach, and Ocean View, via the Norfolk and Western railroad, Sunday, July 19th. Train leaves P. M.; Ocean View at 6 P. M.; and Nor-folk at 7 P. M. Fare for the round trip: Norfolk, \$1; Virginia Beach, \$1.20, and Ocean View, \$1.15. Fare from Nor-folk to Richmond on the Tribby, \$1. Close connection at Norfolk for Virginia Beach and Ocean View, with chair-cars attached, Special vestibule coaches for ladies. Reduced rates at Princess ladies. Reduced rates at relative and Ocean View for our people. We leave promptly on time, and go regardless of the weather, Tickets for all these points at and on the train.

Captain J. K. MICHIE.

R. T. ADAMS,

Resumption of the Baltimore Bont. The York-River Line, in connection with the Southern railway, will, on and after Wednesday, July 15th, resume their line of boats between West Folia and Baltimore running daily (except Sunday), making connection with the train leaving Richmond at 4:30 P. M., arriving from Baltimore at 9:20 A. M.

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The Weather. WASHINGTON, July 16 .- Forecast RAIN for Virginia: Showers early Friday morning; clearing weather by

noon; northerly winds, becoming Rain has fallen in the Middle and South Atlantic States, the Ohio, the Midde Mississippi, and the Lower Missourt

The temperature has risen slightly in the Northwest, and the Upper Lake region, and has generally fallen elsewhere. The following maximum temperatures have been reported: Ninety degrees at New Orleans and Montgomery, 32 degrees at Vicksburg and Jacksonville, and

91 degrees at Savannah.
Showers may be expected in the South Atlantic and East Guif States, and generally fair weather elsewhere. Slowly rising temperature is indicated in the Middle and Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri valleys.

THE WEATHER IN RICHMOND TESTERDAY was close and sultry, with falling temperature in the afternoon and light showers at night. State of thermometer.